

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STAFF HEARING OFFICER

RESOLUTION NO. 031-11 30 CAMINO ALTO MODIFICATION JULY 27, 2011

APPLICATION OF GARY JENSEN, ARCHITECT FOR DARREN LONG, 30 CAMINO ALTO, APN 019-130-028, A-1 ONE-FAMILY RESIDENCE ZONE, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: RESIDENTIAL, 1 UNIT/ACRE (MST2011-00215)

The proposed project involves a new three-level, 3,379 square foot residence and a 518 square foot two-car garage on the 23,091 square foot located in the Hillside Design District. The previous residence was destroyed in the Tea Fire.

The discretionary application required for this project is a Modification to allow the new residence to encroach into the 35 foot front setback. (SBMC §28.15.060 and §28.92.110).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Sections 15303 and 15305.

WHEREAS, the Staff Hearing Officer has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

- 1. **WHEREAS**, no one appeared to speak either in favor or in opposition of the application thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record: Staff Report with Attachments, July 20, 2011.
- 2. Site Plans
- 3. Correspondence received in support of the project:
 - a. Barbara and Wayne Smith, Santa Barbara, CA.
- 4. Correspondence received in opposition to the project:
 - a. Paula Westbury, Santa Barbara, CA.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Staff Hearing Officer:

- I. Approved the subject application making the finding that the Modification is consistent with the purposes and intent of the Zoning Ordinance and is necessary to secure an appropriate improvement on the lot. The proposed single-family residence is appropriate because it allows for reasonable use of a property constrained by steep topography.
- II. Said approval is subject to the condition that the dimensions of the proposed hammerhead turnaround be the minimum required to prevent parking within the required setbacks.

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This motion was passed and adopted on the 27th day of July 2011 by the Staff Hearing Officer of the City of Santa Barbara.

I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the City of Santa Barbara Staff Hearing Officer at its meeting of the above date.

Kathleen Goo, Staff Hearing Officer Secretary

Date

8/4/11

PLEASE BE ADVISED:

- 1. This action of the Staff Hearing Officer can be appealed to the Planning Commission or the City Council within ten (10) days after the date the action was taken by the Staff Hearing Officer.
- 2. If the scope of work exceeds the extent described in the Modification request or that which was represented to the Staff Hearing Officer at the public hearing, it may render the Staff Hearing Officer approval null and void.
- 3. If you have any existing zoning violations on the property, other than those included in the conditions above, they must be corrected within thirty (30) days of this action.
- 4. Subsequent to the outcome of any appeal action your next administrative step should be to apply for Single Family Design Board (SFDB) approval and then a building permit.
- 5. PLEASE NOTE: A copy of this resolution shall be reproduced on the first sheet of the drawings submitted with the application for a building permit. The location, size and design of the construction proposed in the application for the building permit shall not deviate from the location, size and design of construction approved in this modification.
- 6. NOTICE OF APPROVAL TIME LIMITS: The Staff Hearing Officer's action approving the Performance Standard Permit or Modifications shall expire two (2) years from the date of the approval, per SBMC §28.87.360, unless:
 - a. A building permit for the construction authorized by the approval is issued within twenty four months of the approval. (An extension may be granted by the Staff Hearing Officer if the construction authorized by the permit is being diligently pursued to completion.) or;
 - b. The approved use has been discontinued, abandoned or unused for a period of six months following the earlier of:
 - i. an Issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the use, or;
 - ii. one (1) year from granting the approval.